

Proposed Bill No. 5998

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LCO No. 883

Referred to Committee on Energy and Technology

Introduced by: REP. ROWE, 123rd Dist.

## AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTRIC SUBSTATIONS IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 277a of the general statutes be amended to require a
- 2 three-fourths majority vote for the Connecticut Siting Council to issue
- 3 a certificate for an electric substation in a residential area.

## Statement of Purpose:

To require the siting of power substations in residential areas to be subject to heightened scrutiny.